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| Applicant(s): Jim Feeley et al. | | | | | | | | |
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.116)

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated November 17, 2005, finally rejecting claims 1-21, 30-40, 45-52 and 54-60, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

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